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TRANSPORTATION PLANNING

RE: Montana 2016-2020 Statewide Transportation Improvement Plan (STIP), Amendment #8

Dear Ms. Zanto:

The Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) has reviewed the subject Amendment #8 for the Montana FY 2016-2020 STIP. Amendment #8 provides the applicable project numbers with the phases the Montana Department of Transportation wishes to program. The projects shown will not require a revised air quality conformity finding or transfer of funds between FHWA and the Federal Transit Administration.

FHWA's approval for this amendment is hereby given.

Sincerely,

*fw* Kevin L. McLaury, P.E.  
Division Administrator